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Homecoming

Homecoming is one of the major events on our calendar. This year the committee chose to observe the Fortieth Anniversary of the 1921 edition of the Shaw Bears. The team was coached by H. B. Hucles and W. S. Stewart was the captain. This group will be special guest of the University. Mr. L. W. Ligon is serving as co-ordinator.

The experiences of these men, according to (Biggie) Ligon have been wide and varied. They have been contacted and are looking forward to October 21, with great anticipation.

An unusual array of colorful floats, marching bands, and prancing majorettes will add to the brilliance of the Homecoming Celebration.



MISS SHAW UNIVERSITY—Miss Gloria Nimmo, a rising senior of Greenville, North Carolina, was elected "Miss Shaw University" for 1961-62.

HOMECOMING CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Saturday, October 21, 1961

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| 6:00- 8:00 a.m. | Breakfast Social - - - Spaulding Gymnasium |
| 9:00-10:00 a.m. | Alumni Coffee Hour - Student Center, West Campus |
| 10:00 a.m. | Alumni Meeting - - - West Campus Auditorium |
| 1:00 p.m. | Homecoming Parade - - - - - Parade Route |
| 2:00 p.m. | Football Game - - - - - Chavis Park |
| | Shaw vs. Johnson C. Smith |
| 9:00 p.m. | Alumni Get-Together - - Place to be Announced |

Sunday, October 22

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| 11:00 a.m. | Worship Service - - - University Church |
| | Dr. John L. Tilley, Director of Public Relations and Alumni Affairs, speaker. |

University-Alumni Workshop

The University-Alumni Workshop held on West Campus of Shaw University May 27, greatly exceeded the expectations of those who planned it, in attendance, enthusiasm, spontaneous participation, its value for the alumni, faculty and administration, and in request to have it repeated and enlarged. Suggestions were made to have regional workshops in various sections of the state and in other areas. Although some persons who had seen similar projects fail were apprehensive about enough people attending to warrant attempting the workshop on the Saturday before Commencement, both alumni from distant cities and in and about Raleigh, faculty members who had student grades to complete and other duties to perform were present and participated in larger numbers than expected.

A number of graduates were found to have had significant experiences in their vocational activities and in other relationships which could be of definite value to the other graduates, the faculty and the administration. It was also true that the faculty and the administrative officers had resources of a variety of kinds that would be of value to the graduates. A closer and mutually helpful relationship resulted which it is hoped will increase through the years to the advantage of the alumni and the University.

An up-to-date file of graduates according to the department in which they hold a major is being developed, together with other significant data regarding the graduates. A number of very helpful ideas and experiences were exchanged and are being preserved for further use.

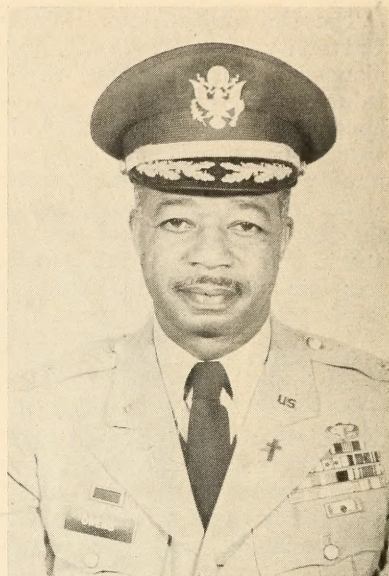
The following agenda was followed in the departmental meetings of the workshop:

- I. How Shaw can be of service to the alumni.
 - A. In job placement or advancement.
 - B. In in-service training.
 - C. Through news of activity of other alumni.
- II. How alumni can be of service to Shaw.
 - A. In public relations.
 - B. In finding and directing promising students to Shaw.
 - C. In making contacts with or being a link with prospective donors.
 - D. By annual giving, insurance policies, annuities and bequests, etc.
 - E. By making constructive suggestions for improvement.
 - F. Recommendations.

It is earnestly requested that each alumnus will send constructive suggestions in any or all areas which may contribute to a more mutually helpful relationship between the alumni and our Alma Mater. Inform us of your achievements, however modest, and those of other alumni and of experiences which might be of value if passed on to others.

Enjoys Outstanding Army Career

Chaplain Major Theodore R. Owens, Class of '38 has been in the armed service for seventeen years. He served in World War Two in the European Theatre operations, France, Belgium, Luxemburg and Germany. In 1945 he was active in the Pacific Theatre of operations. He is the recipient of many honors among which are, the Commendation Ribbon with gold pendant in Korea for meritorious service, the Korean Presidential Citation by Sigmund Rhee; and also an American Presidential Citation. He is reputed to be the first Negro Chaplain in the World to become a paratrooper and served in this capacity for thirty-eight months.



Major Owens stopped by his Alma Mater on his way to his present assignment which is Supervisory Chaplain of the fifty-fourth Artillery Group at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

The W. A. Fuller Home Willed to Shaw



North Carolina nobly as a teacher and a principal for approximately fifty years.

The late William H. Fuller, who died March 18, 1961, willed to Shaw University his home place located at 20 Worth Street, Raleigh, North Carolina. The value of this property is between twenty and twenty-five thousand dollars. This is perhaps the largest gift that Shaw University has received from a graduate. This gift is an indication of Professor Fuller's sincere love and devotion to an institution that had enabled him to serve

The University is very grateful for this gift, and will always use it in full recognition of the sincere love and devotion of the giver.

Raleigh Chapter Gift

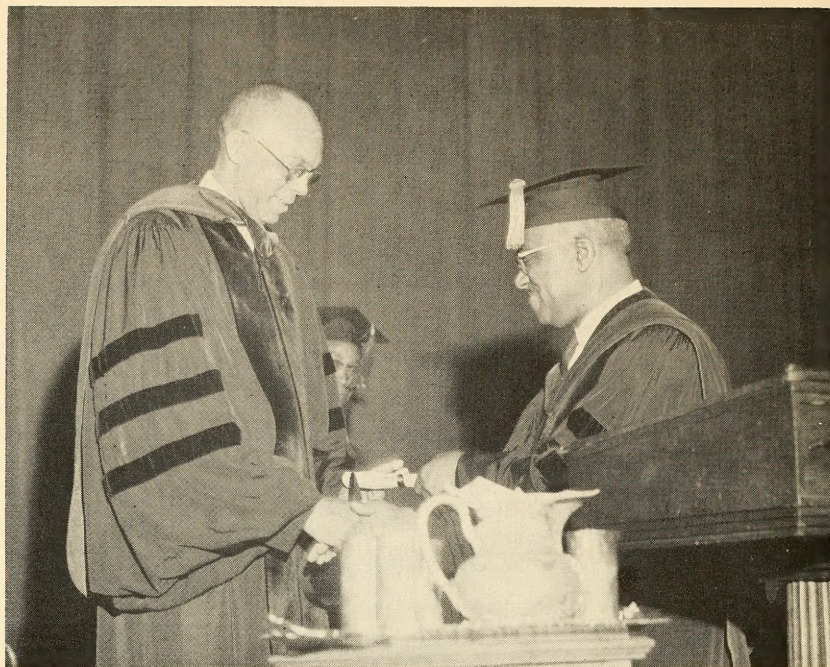


The Raleigh Alumni Chapter of Shaw was the first chapter to respond with its quota to the request of the National Alumni Association and of Shaw University, to give \$500 or more toward the \$20,000 Alumni Scholarship for the present year. The picture shows Mr. Vernon Malone '57, President of the Raleigh chapter, presenting a check to Dr. John L. Tilley, Director of Public Relations and Alumni Affairs, for the Alumni Athletic Scholarship fund for Shaw University. The amount given by the Raleigh chapter was \$520. These funds were raised primarily from projects. Members of the chapter, realizing that this did not represent personal contributions of the membership, agreed to supplement this amount with an equal amount which they plan to do by Founders' Day.

Ex-Shaw Cager Signed By LA

The Los Angeles Jets of the American Basketball League signed Bobbie Knight, formerly of the Harlem Globe-trotters, who has been playing in New England leagues for the past two years.

Knight attended Shaw University as a freshman during the academic year 1954-55 and majored in physical education.



RECEIVES HONORARY DEGREE—The honorary degree Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon The Reverend Paul H. Johnson, minister, Martin Street Baptist Church, Raleigh, North Carolina, who was cited by President W. R. Strassner for his vigorous leadership as a minister.

Miss Almena E. Nunn, class of '55 has received a National Science Foundation Scholarship to study at the University of North Carolina during the 1961-62 school term.

On July 27, 1961, Mr. J. Tony Saunders, class of '49 visited our campus. Mr. Saunders, a native of Oriental, North Carolina is presently employed at the Bethune School of Gary, Indiana as a social adjustment teacher. In addition to his regular vocation, he is a member of the Gary First Baptist Church Choir, a member of the inter-alumni counsel which is composed of graduates of various U. N. C. F. Colleges. He is a faculty representative of the teacher's union of the American Federation of Teachers, local group number four. He is also an active member of the N. A. A. C. P.



FIFTY-YEAR GRADUATES HONORED BY SHAW—During the May 1961 Commencement Exercises at Shaw University, Golden Anniversary Awards were presented to graduates who are members of the class of 1911. Pictured left to right are, The Reverend A. T. Tuck, Sanford; Wayland Jones, Raleigh; Dr. J. T. Hamlin, Raleigh; W. H. Cannady, Oxford; Dr. W. R. Brown, Salem, Virginia; and Dr. William R. Strassner, President of Shaw University, who made the citations.

*Others receiving the awards but not present at the exercises are The Reverend Connie Adams, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Edward Carter, Bessemer, Alabama; Mrs. Elizabeth Christmas, Wilmington, N. C.; Dr. William B. DeVane, Fayetteville, N. C.; Reverend C. F. Flipper, Kansas City, Missouri; Mrs. Nannie J. Frederick, Goldsboro, N. C.; Dr. Charles H. Laws, Hinton, West Virginia; Mrs. Josephine Price, Wadesboro, N. C.; Frederick J. Rogers, Wilmington, N. C.; Mrs. Margaret Thornton, Raleigh, N. C.; *Dr. Ellis E. Toney, Oxford, N. C.; Dr. James W. Wilkerson, St. Louis, Missouri.*

**Since deceased.*

William V. DeVane, class of '41, a native of Raleigh, is employed as a Civil Defense Aid in an administrative capacity in New York City. The August 15, 1961 issue of the New York Journal-American, carries a picture of Mr. DeVane shepherding people into an air raid shelter. DeVane is married to the former Miss Lenchen Coleman, class of '42.

Miss E. Fannie Granton, class of '36 is Associate Jet Editor in Washington, D. C. Miss Granton was named to a ten-woman reporter pool assigned to cover a reception given by Mrs. Jacqueline Kennedy, wife of the President.



CLASSES HOLD REUNION AT SHAW—Left to right: Dr. W. R. Brown, class of 1911, Roanoke, Va.; W. H. Cannady, class of 1911, Oxford; Dr. C. W. Cartwright, class of 1921, Emporia, Va.; D. H. Keck, class of 1931, Raleigh; Mrs. Bessie Cheek, class of 1941, Raleigh; Mrs. Mary B. Sapp, class of 1941, Raleigh; and Miss L. A. Macon, class of 1951.

\$20,000 Athletic Alumni Scholarship Fund

The National Alumni Association in its attempt to encourage both excellent scholarship and a high type of athletic performance pledged to Shaw University \$20,000 for the current year. The National Executive Alumni Committee is asking each alumnus to contribute \$10.00 or more for this purpose and to make an additional contribution to the institution as an annual gift.

Cover Picture

A PRIZE WINNING FLOAT—This float won first prize in the non-professional category at Shaw University's Homecoming last year. Seated as future alumni are Cheryl W. Royster. Standing is James E. Thomas, Jr. ("Chips"). At the right are Mrs. Charlie Strickland Royster and Mrs. Susan Caldwell Malone, our present alumni.



RECEPTION IN HONOR OF SHAW UNIVERSITY SUMMER GRADUATES—Seen in the receiving line at the Shaw University Reception for Summer School Graduates are, Dr. Foster P. Payne, dean of the College; Lenoir H. Cook, Acting Director of the Summer School Session; Mrs. Marie F. Strassner, President W. R. Strassner, Dr. Marguerite M. Adams, University Counselor; Velma E. Adams of Winston-Salem, and Bertha Lowery, Gastonia.

Miss Erseldine Herndon, class of '56, a native of Apex, North Carolina, will study this fall at the University of Wisconsin on a National Science Foundation Scholarship in mathematics. Miss Herndon holds the master's degree in mathematics. She has previously studied at New York University, and North Carolina College at Durham.

According to the September 7, 1961 issue of Jet Magazine, Dr. Marie Wood, class of '45 was offered a State Department post as a visiting lecturer at the University of Haiti. Since the Embassy officials took so long to process her forms, she accepted a post as Director of the Hampton, Virginia Institute Experimental College in the Virgin Isles.

Bennett College Faculty Member

Miss Lela R. Hankins, a graduate of the class of 1955, and a native of Bolivia, North Carolina has just returned from the West Coast, where she has completed a National Science Foundation Academic Year Fellowship at Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon, and was awarded the Master of Science Degree in General Science at commencement, June 5, 1961.

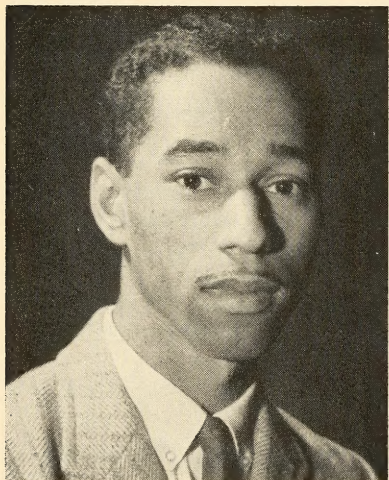
She has also been the recipient of two other scholarships at Hampton Institute, summer of 1959, and Yale University, summer of 1960, both sponsored by the National Science Foundation.

Miss Hankins has been appointed to the faculty of Bennett College, Greensboro, North Carolina as an associate professor of biology.

She has previously served as a teacher of Science and Mathematics at Robert Smalls High School, Beaufort, South Carolina, Davis High School, Engelhard, North Carolina, and Lincoln High School, Leland, North Carolina.



To Study Chemistry At Arizona State University



Norman C. Camp, III, a native of Raleigh, North Carolina, and a 1956 graduate of Shaw University, will study toward a Master of Science Degree in Chemistry at Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, on a National Science Foundation Grant during the academic year 1961-62.

Mr. Camp taught chemistry from 1956 to 1961 at Douglass High School, Leesburg, Virginia, where he was head of the science department in that school. During this time he studied three successive summers on NSF Grants at North Carolina College.

He is married to the former Miss Betty Stancil of Pinehurst, North Carolina, who is also a graduate of Shaw University. They are the parents of a son, Norman C. Camp, IV, age twelve months.

Advanced Degrees Conferred

It has come to our attention that graduates listed below have received advanced degrees at the 1961 summer commencement exercises. We regret that more of this kind of information has not been made available. We can only continue our often repeated plea "Please keep in touch with your alma mater." You always know where we are; but when you change your mailing address and fail to notify us, we lose you, and this should not happen in any family, especially the SHAW family.

Graduates 1960-1961

North Carolina College at Durham: Master of Arts in Education: Roberta L. Brown, William Roger Eason, Frederick M. Lutz, Cordell Katie Michaux; Virginia Raeford Barfield, English; Iris Hairston Cooley, history. Master of Science, Wanamaker Barnes, biology; Master of Education, Grace Whitehead Artis, Melvin Richard Bell, Beatrice Davis Branch, Vanzer Lee Bunch, Hester A. Jones, Winnie Moore Lacewell, Flora Mable Rhoades, Eula B. Wiggins. Master of Library Science, Lillian Coppedge Brown, Mabel Harris Gray, Nellie Manley Greene. Bachelor of Laws, David Langston Stephens.

Temple University, N. Freeman Jones, Master of Education, Educational Administration.

Attorney Claude E. Whitaker, a native of Raleigh, North Carolina, was named by Governor Otto Kerner of Springfield, Illinois, to membership on the Illinois Industrial Commission. Attorney Whitaker received the A. B. degree at Shaw University and the master and doctor of laws degrees at the University of Chicago.

He has formerly served as a probation officer in Chicago, and also as an assistant corporation counselor. He is presently handling industrial cases for the city before the Industrial Commission.

Mr. J. J. Eisbey, class of '39 has been appointed principal of the Central High School, Alamance County. Mr. Eisbey was formerly principal of Pleasant Grove Union School. He is a native of Rahway, New Jersey. He received the master of Education degree at Rutgers University and a Master of Arts degree in Science Education from Columbia University. He has been a science teacher, coach and recreation director, working in Creedmoor, Oxford and Alamance County.

Dr. James E. Cheek, class of '56, of Greensboro, North Carolina is teaching in the School of Religion at Union University. Dr. Cheek received the B. D. degree at Colgate University, and he earned the Ph. D. degree at Drew University.

Heads Dental Society

Theodore A. Shell, Class of '37 B.S. was recently elected president of the Robert T. Freeman Dental Society of Washington, D. C., the oldest Negro Dental organization in the United States. Dr. Shell is an honor graduate of Howard University College of Dentistry, class of 1950, where he served for six years on the faculty in the Department of Operative Dentistry. He served, during World War II, as First Lieutenant in the Chemical Warfare Service, seeing duty in the European Theater.



Dr. Shell is active in varied community services, being a member of Berean Baptist Church, serving as its Treasurer and singing in its choir. A Scouter of twenty-five years, he is at present a member of Troop committee of BSA Troop #510. He was recently elected to the Board of Management of the Twelfth St. Branch Y. M. C. A. An active bridge fan, he is an avid competitor in tournaments sponsored by the American Bridge Association, holding the rank of Senior Master. He is an active member of the local chapter of Shaw Alumni.

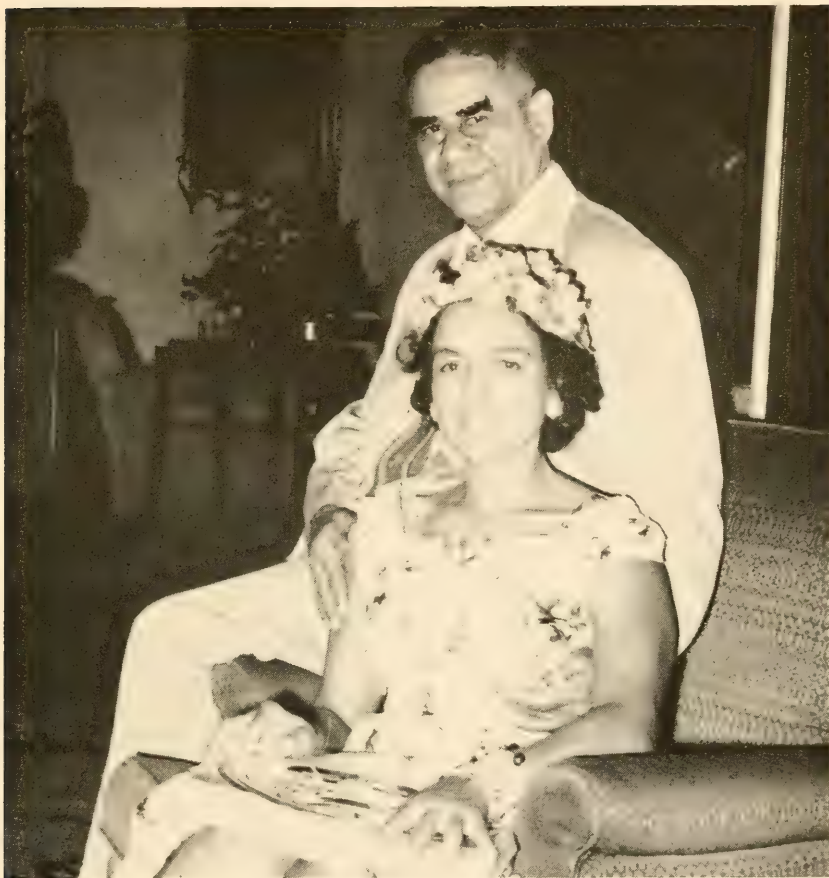
Dr. Shell is married to the former Genevieve Kennedy of Rahway, New Jersey; they are parents of Gail and Theodore, Jr. Mrs. Shell is active in her own right being the president of the Ladies Auxiliary of the R. T. Freeman Dental Society and also soprano soloist in the church choir.

The Reverend Braxton Cooley, class of '58 is employed at A. and T. College, Greensboro, North Carolina, as Catalogue Librarian. He is also serving as minister of the Union Mission Church, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Mrs. Cooley, the former, Miss Iris Hairston, class of '60, is employed as an instructor of history at Winston-Salem Teachers College. Mrs. Cooley was very active as a student at Shaw. She was selected among the "Who's Who in Colleges and Universities for 1958-59."

Reverend and Mrs. Cooley received their advanced degrees at North Carolina College, Durham: the M. S. in Library Science and the M. A. respectively.

Trustee Board Member Heads Fraternity



OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY HAS NEW CHIEF AND FIRST LADY—Attorney Cary Duval Jacobs, class of '28, now residing in Indianapolis, Indiana is the new Grand Basileus of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. He is shown here with Mrs. Jacobs following his election at the fraternity's Golden Anniversary conclave held in August at the Sheraton Park Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Attorney Jacobs is a native of Dudley, North Carolina. He is a member of the Shaw University Trustee Board and of the law school of New York University.

Miss Augusta Mae Walker of Newport News, Virginia, class of '60, is employed as Director of Christian Education and Teacher of Bible at The Mather School, Beaufort, South Carolina.

Civic Leader

The Reverend William D. Burton, Minister of the Ebenezer Baptist Church, Newburgh, New York, has distinguished himself in his community for the open stand which he is taking in order to present a balanced picture of Negroes of Newburgh. Reverend Mr. Burton has received much publicity as a result of his statements from the pulpit on the welfare plan, which he claims was aimed at Negroes. Reverend Mr. Burton states that he has talked to representatives of more than a score of newspapers, including the nation's leading ones, and has helped to clear up the badly distorted image of the Negro in Newburgh.



Our readers, no doubt, are familiar with the crackdown on welfare recipients, which has received national attention. People like Reverend Burton fear that innocent persons may suffer.

The Reverend Mr. Burton received the A. B. degree at Shaw in 1945. The Graduate School of Theology at Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio, awarded him the Master of Arts degree in Philosophy of Christianity in 1953.

He is married to the former Miss Judy Cocheyse Brewington who is also a Shaw graduate.

Mr. John H. Mincey, class of '56 came by the office to say hello this summer. As a student Mr. Mincey demonstrated his "stick-to-it-ness" by hitch-hiking from Wilson, North Carolina to Raleigh the entire four years of his college career.

He is now teaching at Speight High School, Wilson, North Carolina.

As a civic worker, Mr. Mincey is a member of the Volunteer Fire Company Association, Vice Chairman of the Wilson Division of Boy Scouts, a choir member of First Baptist Church, Wilson.

Under his training the Fire Company won the state championship for 1960. He states that the group has also won a world's record based on demonstrations in quick acting in the hose-reel race and fire truck race.

He is the father of five children, whose ages range from seven to fifteen.

Faculty Notes

Dr. Horace B. Davis, chairman, Department of Business and Economics at Shaw University studied on a fellowship from Case Institute of Technology, Cleveland, Ohio this summer in connection with the Economics-in-Action program. At the close of the session Dr. Davis was awarded a certificate of accomplishment. The program was sponsored by the Republic Steel Corporation and conducted by the Department of Management at Case Institute of Technology.

Dr. Nelson H. Harris, director of Teacher Education, served as professor of education in the Graduate School at Florida A. and M. University, Tallahassee, Florida, during the 1961 summer session.

Dr. Harris was on program as one of the discussion leaders at the National Teacher Education and professional standards conference in June 1961. The conference was held at Pennsylvania State College.

He is one of the authors of the John Dewey Society Yearbook which is published by Harper and Brothers.

Mrs. Virginia Kimbrough Newell, assistant professor of mathematics, was awarded a grant and attended the National Science Foundation Mathematics Conference for College Teachers which was held last summer at Montclair State College, Upper Montclair, New Jersey. The four-weeks conference at Montclair offered an opportunity for thirty college teachers from throughout the United States to study various phases of modern mathematics.

Dr. Wilmoth A. Carter, professor of sociology, conducted a research in Raleigh which involved group interviewing under the Research Department of Young and Rubicam, Incorporated, Chicago, Illinois, where a national study of food habits is being made.

Dr. Rajendra K. De, professor of biology at Shaw University received a post doctoral stipend from the National Science Foundation and participated in a teacher-research program at North Carolina State College, Raleigh, department of Entomology. The research included investigation on stored grain pests.

Mr. H. L. Irons, professor and head of the department of natural sciences and mathematics was one of forty participants from throughout the United States in a summer Institute of Genetics for College Teachers. The program was sponsored by the National Science Foundation and was conducted by the staff of the North Carolina State College Genetics Department.

Faculty Appointments

Dr. William R. Strassner, president of Shaw University has announced the appointment of the following persons to the faculty and staff: Dr. Vicente Vestor Hernandez, professor of physics and mathematics, Santa Clara, Cuba. Dr. Hernandez received the bachelor of science degree at Institute 2da Enseñanza, Habana, Cuba; doctor of science in physics and mathematics from the University of Habana. His experience includes teaching positions at the Institute 2da Enseñanza, Escuela Politecnica de Mantanzas, and the University of Santa Clara.

Dr. Victor Edward King, director of the African Studies Program, Freetown, Sierra Leone. Dr. King received the B. A. degree at Fourah Bay College, Sierra Leone; the M. A. degree at Yale University and the Ph.D. at London University. He has formerly served as instructor, Methodist Boys High School; Tutor, Fourah Bay College; Headmaster, Koyeima (Government Central Boarding School); Senior Education Officer, Sierra Leone Government.

Mrs. Mamie Leolia Spaugh, instructor of home economics; Method, North Carolina. Mrs. Spaugh received the B. S. degree at Shaw University and she has done graduate study at Howard University. She was formerly Dietitian at Saint Augustine's College, Raleigh.

Mrs. Katherine T. Sutphin, instructor in English, Charleston, West Virginia. Mrs. Sutphin received the B. S. degree at Bluefield State College, Bluefield, West Virginia. Her graduate study was done at Howard University. Mrs. Sutphin has taught in the public schools of Charleston, West Virginia; Cleveland, Mississippi; and Halifax, Virginia.

George Thomas, Sr., associate professor of mathematics, Birmingham, Alabama, returned to his post after a leave of absence to study toward the Ph.D. degree at the University of Illinois, Urbana.

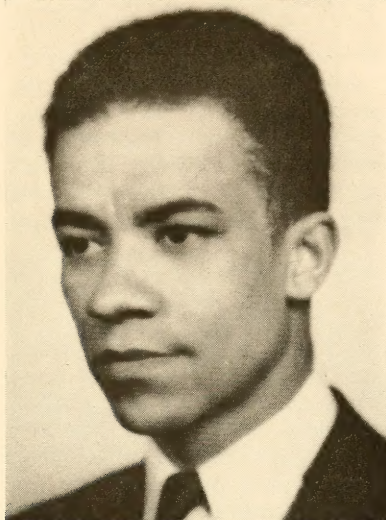
Lawrence Edward Allen, clerk, business office. Mr. Allen received the A. B. degree at Shaw University.

Mrs. Eula B. Norris Barnette, secretary to the Director of Public Relations, Salisbury, North Carolina. Mrs. Barnette is also a graduate of Shaw University. She has held stenographic positions with the James Gray Company, and Addressograph, Inc., New York City.

Mrs. Lavonne H. Bivins, stenographer, Counselor's Office, Greensboro, North Carolina. Mrs. Bivins, received the A. B. degree at Shaw University. She previously held a stenographic position at Spencer Senior High School, Columbus, Georgia.

Mrs. Gloria W. McClain, secretary to the Business Manager, Raleigh, Mrs. McClain is a graduate of Shaw University.

Founder's Day — — November 17, 1961



Dr. Lord Cecil Rhodes

Program for the observance of the Ninety-sixth Anniversary of Shaw University, Friday, November 17, 1961:

10:45 a.m. Memorial Service at Founder's Grave

11:00 a.m. Founder's Day Program, University Church

Address by Dr. Lord Cecil Rhodes, Norfolk, Virginia

1:00 p.m. Luncheon, University Dining Hall

Establishes New Dental Hospital

Dr. Lord Cecil Rhodes, class of '41 has established a five-bed dental hospital in Norfolk, Virginia, which is said to be the second one in the United States. The modern 50 by 32 two-story building is located on the North edge of the central downtown redevelopment areas. The hospital is fully equipped, and will serve all classes alike, according to Dr. Rhodes. It represents his "dream come true."

Dr. Rhodes served as President of the Student Body during his senior year at Shaw University. Following his graduation, Rhodes studied at the Universities of Iowa and Biarritz (France), Middlesex (Waltham, Mass.), and Meharry Medical colleges, the Howard University graduate school, department of pharmacology, the University of Michigan (physiology, Medical college), the U. S. Department of Public Health, Chicago School of Nursing, and Beaumont General Hospital in El Paso, Texas. He was graduated from Howard's school of dentistry in 1951. His post-graduate work has been at Harvard, Tuft School of Dental Medicine, Boston University School of Medicine, Northwestern Dental School, Walter Reed Army Institute of Research, New York's Polyclinic Hospital, the American Academy of Implant Dentures and in other short courses.

Founder's Day Benefit Dinner

The Founder's Day Benefit Dinner is a unique occasion for graduates and former students to relive some high points in the dramatic history of our "alma mater", enjoy fellowship with former students and faculty members, and to view together some of the newer outlooks of "Shaw of Tomorrow" and to rededicate ourselves to a more vital and meaningful service to her and to mankind. This dinner will be on the evening of Friday, November 17 at 7:30 o'clock.

New and interesting features were added last year. Other new features are being planned for this year. We hope that all who can will come back to the campus. However, desirous we might be to meet together on the campus of the pioneering institution of Negroes to have our spirit and outlooks rekindled, such is not practicable for every one. It will be possible, however, for Shaw Alumni to join together with all other Shaw alumni where ever they are, at the same hour. We can think together of significant contributions which Shaw has made to us in our personal development and growth in abilities to earn for ourselves and loved ones and to serve our fellows and communities. We can consider together what her needs are and how we can be of service in helping to meet them. Those who cannot return to the campus in person are earnestly requested to meet with other Shawites in their respective cities or communities to celebrate the Founder's Day occasion.

Nationwide Founder's Day Observance

A Know-Shaw-Kit has been prepared to be used on this occasion. It was used for the first time at the Founder's Day Benefit Dinner in 1960 and received enthusiastic response. Several request were made for it to be presented in various communities which were granted. The Know-Shaw-Kit consists of: 1.—Forty or more slides showing buildings, groups, types of activities, persons and items of interest in the history and activities of Shaw; 2.—A script, or recording which describes each of the slides; 3.—A recording of a brief message of President Strassner to the alumni; and 4.—A recording of the singing of the "alma mater" sung by the Shaw University Choral Society.

We ask that Shaw alumni and friends of Shaw will meet the evening of November 17, and use the items of the kit in the order outlined. Kits may be available on a rental or a purchase basis. The purchase price will be not more than \$20.00. The kits can be used by a variety of groups in the Community which will extend the knowledge and influence of Shaw. They may be obtained by contacting the Office of Public Relations and Alumni Affairs.

In Memoriam

Dr. Ellis D. Toney, class of 1911, died July 12, 1961 at Shaw Memorial Hospital, Oxford, North Carolina, after a lengthy illness.

In 1954 Dr. Toney was the principal speaker on the occasion of Shaw University's formal opening. At that time he was chief surgeon of the Shaw Memorial Hospital. He was prominent in many civic and communities affairs. In 1955 he was named "Doctor of the Year" by the Old North State Medical Society. In 1956 he received the Distinguished Alumni Service Award from Shaw University.

We regret to learn of the passing of Dr. John T. Wortham of Raleigh.

Mrs. Mallissa Jenkins Dillard, a former resident of Goldsboro, North Carolina, passed away Saturday, June 10, 1961 in Gary, Indiana where she resided for seven years. As an alumna of Shaw University Mrs. Dillard continuously maintained her active membership in the alumni association. In 1953 she was crowned queen of the Shaw National Alumni Association.

The Shaw family will miss Mrs. Dillard as she would always visit the campus when she was in Raleigh.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Mr. Owen Nichols and his family in the death of his father, Mr. William V. Nichols of Raleigh, North Carolina.

We regret to learn of the passing of Dr. J. A. Tinsley of Weldon, North Carolina on Monday, September 18, 1961.

Shaw University—1961 Football Schedule

HOME GAMES

September 23	Virginia Union University	Raleigh, N. C.
October 21	J. C. Smith University (Homecoming)	Raleigh, N. C.
November 4	OPEN	
November 23	Saint Augustine's College (Thanksgiving)	Raleigh, N. C.

GAMES AWAY

September 30	A. and T. College	Greensboro, N. C.
October 7	Virginia State College	Petersburg, Va.
October 14	Elizabeth City College	Elizabeth City, N. C.
October 28	North Carolina College	Durham, N. C.
November 11	Morgan State College	Baltimore, Md.
November 18	Maryland State College	Princess Anne, Md.

All home games will be played at Chavis Park, Raleigh, N. C.

Shaw University—1961-62 Basketball Schedule

Spaulding Gymnasium

HOME GAMES

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE
December 1	Virginia State College	Raleigh, N. C.
December 6	Winston-Salem Teachers	Raleigh, N. C.
December 8	A. and T. College	Raleigh, N. C.
December 16	North Carolina College	Raleigh, N. C.
January 3	J. C. Smith	Raleigh, N. C.
January 9	Saint Paul's College	Raleigh, N. C.
January 20	Saint Augustine's College	Raleigh, N. C.
February 10	Fayetteville State College	Raleigh, N. C.
February 17	Norfolk State College	Raleigh, N. C.
February 19	Elizabeth City College	Raleigh, N. C.

GAMES AWAY

December 9	Fayetteville	Fayetteville, N. C.
January 4	Virginia State	Petersburg, Va.
January 5	Norfolk State	Norfolk, Va.
January 27	J. C. Smith	Charlotte, N. C.
February 2	St. Augustine's	Raleigh, N. C.
February 3	St. Paul's	Lawrenceville, Va.
February 5	Elizabeth City College	Elizabeth City, N. C.
February 7	A & T College	Greensboro, N. C.
February 13	Winston-Salem Teachers,	Winston-Salem, N. C.
February 24	N. C. College	Durham, N. C.